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Title: A PERFORATED ANTENNA FOR AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT CARD, AND AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT CARD INCLUDING SUCH AN ANTENNA

Priority Claim (35 U.S.C. 119) is made, based upon:

35 USC 119: French Patent Application No. 98/08604, filed 6 July 1998

Enclosed herewith are:

- ☒ Specification (Description, Claims, Abstract): Pages 1 - 8; Number of claims 1 - 5
- ☐ Declaration and Power of Attorney purposes)
- ☒ 4 Sheets of drawings, Figures 1 - 1-7E ☒ Formal ☐ Informal
- ☐ Assignment and "Patents" Recordation Form Cover Sheet (PTO-1595)
- ☐ Certified copy of priority document identified above
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement; ☒ Form PTO-1449
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Verified Statement(s) Claiming Small Entity Status
- ☒ Receipt Postcard

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